

THE RISING SON.



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Remember please—

It's the little bits we collect here and there that enables us to run from year to year.

LOCALS.

Read the Son.

Wedding bells will ring during the holidays.

Mrs. John Day, who has been quite ill, is convalescent.

See Rhodes for your Christmas printing. Phone 1308 Main.

Mrs. Leon Jordan has gone to Topeka to spend a couple of months.

Several swell parties are talked of for the holidays.

The Second Baptist church has a rally Sunday.

Read the Son and keep up with the times.

For concert and entertainment programs, tickets, etc., call on Rhodes, 11 West Ninth street.

Samples of fine wedding stationery—the latest, at Rhodes, No. 11 West Ninth street.

The Silver Leaf Club gave its regular monthly dance last night at the Vendome.

The Ladies Art Club met with Mrs. Jones, 2418 Montgall avenue, Wednesday afternoon.

The Ladies Whist Club will be entertained Saturday afternoon by Mrs. Sandy Edwards, 2000 Olive.

The aristocracy of Harrison street is making grand preparations for a wedding Christmas week.

Five hundred and twenty dollars was realized at the Thanksgiving rally at Allen Chapel.

Mrs. Dominant Queenan gave a dinner party to several of her friends Thanksgiving day.

Mrs. Robert Simpson gave a dinner party to a number of her friends Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. William Rhodes, of Blue Springs was up to the Fortnightly Dancing Club Friday night.

Miss Geneva Willey, who has been sick for some time is able to be at school again.

The intentions of the Rising Son are to treat the colored patrons right and just, but you must make up your mind to pay for same. When you send in your notices to be published, you must find time to send in your change, or else they will be set aside.

Mrs. Crump has been ill and confined to her room for the past three weeks, but is a little better at this writing.

All parties that went to Topeka on Thanksgiving day report a fine time. The Kansas City boys won the prize in the drill contest.

For Christmas and New Year Cards see Rhodes.
Knights Templar Cards.
Knights Pythias Cards.
Masonic Cards.
Odd Fellow Cards.
In raised gold \$1.25 per 100.

Madame — writes us that her and her son Lucius arrived in Washington, D. C. safe and sound in time to eat Thanksgiving dinner with her parents.

The great department store of Emery, Bird & Thayer is worthy and deserving of the patronage of our people, the managers of that corporation are men of broad and expansive minds.

They are liberal and believe in aiding in the uplifting of humanity.
Next year being Leap Year, we suppose that a goodly number of the gentlemen will keep open house New Year's Day and the ladies will have the pleasure of going from house to house and wishing them a happy New Year.

PRIVATE BOARDING SCHOOL.

Miss F. F. Jones, recently of Philadelphia, Pa., has reopened her private day and boarding school for girls in this city at 1213 Bellefontaine avenue.

Primary, academic, and college preparatory. Private lessons also given to persons preparing for civil service or other examinations. For terms address Miss F. F. Jones, 1213 Bellefontaine avenue.

Miss Jones is a graduate of the University of Michigan and has taught in Wilberforce University, Paul Quinn College, Texas, and the State Normal College of Florida.

Dr. Sophia B. Jones, a graduate of the medical department of the University of Michigan, is enrolled among Kansas City's physicians. Dr. Jones has had much experience, having been resident physician in Spellman Seminary, Atlanta, where she established the first Nurse's Training School in the South, and also in Wilberforce University. She was until her removal to Kansas City, on the staff of Douglas Hospital, Philadelphia. She may be found at 1213 Bellefontaine avenue, where she will do office work for the present. Office hours, 10 to 12 a. m., 4 to 6 p. m.

LESSONS IN ART NEEDLE WORK.
The ladies of St. Pancras Guild are giving every Thursday from 1 to 4 p. m. at 615 East Sixth street. These lessons in needle work are given at a very small price.

The little folks are having their Bazar this afternoon and evening (December 5) at the residence of Mrs. D. N. Crosthwaite, 1320 East Fourteenth street, for the benefit of the Old Folks and Orphans Home. All are earnestly requested to call and help a worthy cause.

The aged mother of Mr. Eli Harris died at his residence, 2435 Flora avenue, Wednesday morning at 4 o'clock.

Remarkable was the devotion bestowed upon this kind old lady by Mr. Harris and his wife. Nothing was too good for "mother."

For years Mr. Harris has been a worker in the Home. He is a quiet worker but one ever to be depended upon when hard lines are reached.

He has the sympathy of all the members of the Home.

PULLMAN PORTERS AGITATING A MOVE TO SECURE LIVING WAGES—DECLINE OF THE TIP

For several years past the wages of the Pullman car porter has been declining. In other words, the tips which he has been accustomed to receive has become minimized and the result is that the wages which are allowed him is about all that he gets. The present wages received by a Pullman porter does not secure him a living, especially if he has a family to provide for. The scale of wages was originally fixed by the company on a basis assuming that the porter secured a much more from the passenger in tips. Many years ago the Pullman car passengers tipped the porters quite liberally, thus bringing the porter's wages up to a decent sum and enabled him to support his family. But the term "liberally" in this connection has been changed to "meagerly" and the porter is now inclined to look to the company for such increase of wages as will secure him a living. The Pullman car porter is put to an expense at both ends of the line. This fact, coupled with the withdrawal of tips leaves him in a very embarrassed condition.

The question has been taken up by the Pullman Porter's Brotherhood and the matter intelligently discussed. In the discussion an idea was reached that a meeting of the porters of the several districts be held in Chicago at which a petition shall be prepared to be sent to the Pullman Palace Car Co., requesting an increase of wages.

Another thing which hampers not only the Pullman porters, but all others employed in similar work is that of the marked increase in the cost of living. It is known that every line of provisions has been steadily soaring skyward until now the cost of living has reached an increase of twenty-five per cent and of this fact the Pullman company and all other companies are fully aware. The petition which the Pullman boys are preparing to send to the company will be fittingly prepared and intelligently presented. The Pullman company has in its employ some of the most intelligent Negroes of the race, men of character and integrity who will use every honorable and just means to secure from the Pullman company a concession which will enable them to support their families and keep themselves in a presentable shape while in the discharge of their duties.

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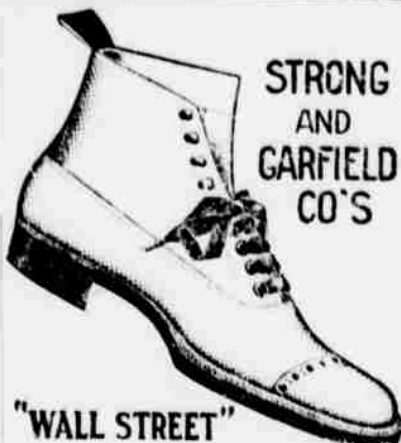
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